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ABSTRACT
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Joint meeting
with:

The Croatian
Cardiac Society,
The 5th National
Meeting of
Interventional
Cardiology

TAVI Day

Brano
Radovančević
Summer Heart
Failure Workshop
*ESCVS and Texas
Heart Institute,
Houston, TX, USA*

The 9th Congress
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Extracorporeal
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Congress Dates

25 – 28 April, 2012

Who should attend

Cardiac surgeons, vascular surgeons, cardiologists, perfusionists, residents, cardiovascular anesthesiologists and cardiovascular nursing staff.

Dubrovnik

Dubrovnik is without doubt currently one of Europe's most fashionable destinations. Steeped in history and virtually unchanged since the 13th Century the old quarter provides a fascinating distraction from the day's business. Add to that a mild Mediterranean climate all year round and direct **flights from over 50 European 'hubs'** and it's easy to see why Dubrovnik is such a popular choice for combining business with pleasure. A little further north of the city centre, the verdant oasis of Babin Kuk is just one of many resort areas nestled amongst the pines and oaks of the Dubrovnik Riviera providing a picturesque setting for a successful congress.

Congress Venues and Accommodation

Valamar Lacroma Dubrovnik ****
Valamar Dubrovnik President ****
Argosy Hotel ***
Tirena Hotel ***
Valamar Club ***

Language

The official language of the ESCVS congress is English.

Certificate of Attendance

Certificate of Attendance will be issued for all participants attending the congress.

Shuttle Services

Daily shuttle service from the congress venue and hotels to the city centre and back will be provided for all participants.

Passport and Visa information

Every foreign visitor entering Croatia must possess a valid passport. Most European countries do not require a visa. Participants from countries requiring a visa for entry to Croatia are advised to make their applications in their home countries.

To obtain further visa information and assistance please contact info@escvs2012.org, tel +385 1 488 11 06, fax +385 1 481 22 77.

Banks and Currency Exchange

ATM machines are widely available. Local Currency is HRK (Croatian Kuna). Exchange Rate is approximately
1 EUR = 7,4 HRK;
1 USD = 5,2 HRK.

Climate

Mediterranean climate with hot and dry summers and mild winters, lots of sunny days. Average spring temperatures: minimal daily temperature is 15.2 C, maximum daily temperature is 21.3 C.

Electricity

The current in Croatia is 220 V, European plug. Please contact registration desk for available converters.

Time Zone

Time is 1 hour ahead of GMT (GMT + 1) in Croatia.

Telephones

The international dialing code for Croatia is 385, and the code for Dubrovnik city is 20. National calls: 0 + city code + telephone number. International calls: 00 + country code + city code + telephone number

For more information please refer to the congress website **www.escvs2012.org** info@escvs2012.org

Abstracts Submission Deadline - **January 31st 2012**

Please submit abstracts at
www.escvs2012.org/abstracts

Abstracts may be submitted for oral presentation, poster presentation, e-posters or video presentation.

All accepted abstracts will be published as a Supplement to
The Journal of Cardiovascular Surgery.

Accepted papers will be published in
The Journal of Cardiovascular Surgery, following peer reviewing.

Cardiac Surgery

INVITED AND SPONSORED SPEAKERS

T. Krabatsch Germany	O.H. Fraizer USA	E. Lansac France	T. Mihaljević Abu Dhabi
M. Strüber Germany	M. Krasoń Poland	Ž. Sutlić Croatia	C. Bouten The Netherlands
E. McGee USA	D. Unić Croatia	M. Zembala Poland	P. Madeddu UK
I. Gregorić USA	F. Grego Italy	D. Barić Croatia	C. Ross USA
S. Schueler UK	B. Geršak Slovenia	V. Treska Czech Republic	O. Öztekin Turkey
P. Leprince France	F. Labrode France	T. Folliguet France	M. Desouza Portugal
I. Netuka Czech Republic	L. Behr France	B. Biočina Croatia	D. Torella Italy
A. Alfrević USA	I. Rudež Croatia	H. Gašparović Croatia	Z. Krznarić Croatia
R. Deronde France	J. Safi USA	J. Kolar Slovakia	M. Lainščak Slovenia
J. Parameshwar UK	P. Oberwalder Austria	R. Jashiri Belgium	D. Vranešić Croatia
L. Paluszkiwicz Germany	T. Asai Japan	F. Masiano Italy	U. Souza Portugal
L. Lund Sweden	D. McPherson USA	J. Pomar Spain	
M. Morshuis Germany	C. Mestres Spain	D. Luu France	
P. Odegaard USA	Y. Takahara Japan	K. Brkić Croatia	

Vascular Surgery

INVITED SPEAKERS

J. Brunkwall Germany	M. Jacobs The Netherlands	T. Ulus Turkey	G. Marucci Italy
A. Halliday UK	A. Giannoukas Greece	F. Grego Italy	F. Spinelli Italy
R. Chiesa Italy	N. Filipović USA-Serbia	M. Marković Serbia	S. Haulon France
M. Matsagkas Greece	T. Klokočovník Slovenia	P. Štádlr Czech Republic	D. Böckler Germany
C. Setacci Italy	H. Schumacher Switzerland	V. Prochazka Czech Republic	
R. Naylor UK	J. Wolfe UK	A. Stella Italy	

TOPICS

- Coronary Surgery
 - Off-Pump Surgery
 - Stentless Valves
 - Minimally Invasive Valve Surgery
 - TAVI
 - Sutureless Valves
 - Heart Transplantation
 - VAD-s
 - Transapical Mitral Valve Implantation
 - Aortic Dissections
 - Total Artificial Heart
 - Vascular Tissue Engineering
 - Cardiovascular Regeneration
 - Engineered Prosthetic Bypass Graft
 - Stem Cells
 - Mediterranean Diet
 - Nutritional Risk in Cardiovascular Patients
 - Enteral Nutrition for Cardiovascular Patients
- ## TOPICS
- Carotid Surgery
 - Abdominal Aorta
 - Thoracoabdominal Aorta
 - Endovascular Procedures
 - Hybrid Procedures
 - Peripheral Aneurysms
 - Peripheral Occlusive Disease
 - Venous Diseases
 - Research
 - Education of Cardio-Vascular Surgeons in The Era of Minimally Invasive Surgery

Cardiology

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| S. Kar
USA | M. Noč
Slovenia |
| R. Virmani
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Macedonia |
| M. Vidovich
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Slovenia |
| G. Stanković
Serbia | |

TOPICS

- The Different Plaque Characteristics and PCI Outcomes
- Functional Measurements in the Cath Lab (FFR)
- The New Imaging Techniques in the Cath Lab (OCT)
- The New Antithrombotic Drugs
- The Safety and Differences Between DES
- Where DES Implantation is Mandatory Despite Budget Reduction - Round Table Discussion
- Treatment of High Risk Patients
- LMCA Disease Treatment Debate (Pro PCI / Pro Surgery / Conclusion)
- MVD Treatment Debate (Pro PCI / Pro Surgery / Conclusion)
- Bifurcation Lesions Treatment
- Stent for Life Session
- Primary PCI, Can We Better Organize the Net?
- The Place of Thrombectomy
- Interventions In NSTEMI
- The Structural Heart Diseases Interventions
- Resorbable Stents (The New Revolution?)

Perfusion

INVITED SPEAKERS

- C. Hamilton**
Germany
- F. Merkle**
Germany
- C. Nielsen**
Denmark
- A. Bauer**
Germany
- L. Vercaemst**
Belgium

TOPICS

- ECMO
- Coagulation and Perfusion
- Temperature Management
- New Trends in Perfusion

“Those who seek paradise on Earth should come to Dubrovnik and see Dubrovnik.”

Bernard Shaw



Registration Information

Last Name	First Name
Institution	Address
City / State	ZIP / Country
Telephone	Email (required for confirmation)
Username (for account on ESCVS)	

Registration Fee

Please register me as:	Early Bird: until 31st Jan 2012	Regular: 2/1/2012 - 4/8/2012	Onsite and: after 4/10/2012
<input type="checkbox"/> ESCVS MEMBER	400 EUR	500 EUR	600 EUR
<input type="checkbox"/> ESCVS NON MEMBER	500 EUR	600 EUR	700 EUR
<input type="checkbox"/> ASSISTANT, JUNIOR*	150 EUR	150 EUR	150 EUR
<input type="checkbox"/> NURSE, PERFUSIONIST	130 EUR	180 EUR	180 EUR
<input type="checkbox"/> COMPANY REPRESENTATIVE	200 EUR	250 EUR	250 EUR

* A letter from your Head of department may be requested

Accommodation Packages (4 Nights)

I will stay at the:	Single use	Sharing with: Fellow participant	Sharing with: Accompanying person
<input type="checkbox"/> Hotel DUBROVNIK LACROMA 4*	830 EUR	590 EUR	1205 EUR
<input type="checkbox"/> Hotel DUBROVNIK PRESIDENT 4*	770 EUR	550 EUR	1145 EUR
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<input type="checkbox"/> Hotel DUBROVNIK VALAMAR CLUB 3*	585 EUR	435 EUR	825 EUR

I will share my room with:

Fellow Participant

His/Her name:

Accompanying Person

I do not need accommodation:

Outside Participant 200 EUR

Gala Dinner

I will attend the Gala Dinner 150 EUR

My Accompanying Person will attend the Gala Dinner 150 EUR

If you choose to participate at the Gala Dinner the accommodation fee will be reduced by 25 EUR per person

Payer Information

Name / Institution / Business	Email (required for confirmation)		
Institution	Address		
City / State	ZIP / Country		
I will pay with my Credit card:			
Cardholder's Name	Card Number	Exp. Date	Security Code
Billing Address	Signature		

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